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D. H. GILBERT.

GROWER OF

Selected Melon Seed and Dealer in Fertilizers

MONTICELLO, FLA., Jan. 6, 1904.

GENTLEMEN:—I am prepared to book orders for delivery fall of 1904, as soon as seed are properly cured.

My facilities for growing the different varieties, I offer, are first-class, and my practical knowledge in detail of the business, gives me superior advantage in producing first-class stocks. I need not tell you the importance of this.

Terms of payment: 60 days net or cash in 10 days from date of invoice less 2 per cent.

Conditions have been for two years back against the contract growers, each of these years the prices have been very high, and nearly every pound I produced has been required on my contract sales and I have therefore not been in position to reap any benefit from the increased values. On the other hand, I have seen times when I was very glad that my crops were engaged on contract sales. I shall however stay by the contract business, waiting for readjustment of conditions that will enable me to produce good crops at a fair margin of profit.

I will be growing this year the varieties of melons listed below. I have *fancy select stock seed* of most sorts.

WATERMELON.

Black Boulder
Phinney's Early
Delaware
Pride of Georgia
Dark Icing
Cuban Queen
Jones Jumbo
Sweetheart

Fordhook Early
Black Diamond
Seminole
The Boss
Long Dixie
Ice Cream or Peerless
Kolb Gem
Hosier King

New Favorite
Gray Monarch
Scaly Bark
Mountain Sweet
Florida Favorite
Georgia Rattlesnake
Mam. Ironclad
Kentucky Wonder

Blue Gem
Triumph
Alabama Sweet
Duke Jones
Lone Star
Coles Early
McIvers Sugar
Mountain Sprout

Above at 20 cents per pound.

New National,

Monte Christo, New Eden,
Gilbert's New Success, Gilbert's New Threefold.
Above at 25 cents per pound.

Kleckley's Sweet,

Rocky Ford

Paul Rose

MUSK MELON.

Hackensack.

Jenny Lind.

Above at 30 cents per pound.

CUCUMBER.

White Spine,

Long Green,

Early Cluster,

Chicago Pickling,

Above at 50 cents per pound.

EGG PLANT.

New York, Improved, Purple, at \$1.20 per pound.

I respectfully solicit your orders, and would be pleased to receive them at your earliest convenience. I am in position to take care of your orders in a proper manner.

I am faithfully yours,

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D. H. GILBERT.

Special to the Trade.

I make a specialty of *fancy select stock seed* of Watermelon. To those wanting stock seed of the varieties I offer *absolutely true to name* am pleased to quote the following prices, only a limited quantity of each to offer.

McIver's Wonderful Sugar at 60¢ per pound
Ice Cream or Peerless at 50¢ per pound
Sweetheart at..... 60¢ per pound
Triumph at 60¢ per pound
Alabama Sweet at 60¢ per pound
Long Dixie at 60¢ per pound
Carolina Bradford at 75¢ per pound

Ferry's Iceberg at 75¢ per pound
Augusta or Ga. Rattlesnake... 75¢ per pound
New Eden at..... \$1.00 per pound
Kleckley's Sweet at 75¢ per pound
Gilbert's New Success at \$1.00 per pound
Gilbert's New Threefold at... \$1.00 per pound

Special offer below of surplus crop 1903, first quality stocks and high germination.

75 lb Rattlesnake at 40¢ per pound	100 lb Florida Favorite at 40¢ per pound
100 lb Gray Monarch 27¢ per pound	50 lb Mam. Ironclad at 27¢ per pound
7 lb Superior strain N. Y. Purple Egg Plant at \$2.50 per pound.	

Above f. o. b. Monticello, bags at value, and subject to prior sale.

I have over-hauled a shipment of melon seed at Ravenna O. of them I can offer for prompt order, the following f. o. b. Ravenna:

16 lb Dark Icing at..... 20¢ per pound
67 lb Fordhook Early at..... 20c per pound
25 lb Ice Cream or Peerless at.. 20c per pound
25 lb Hosier King at 20c per pound
4 lbs Paul Rose Cantaloupe at 20c per pound

100 lb Jones Jumbo at 20¢ per pound
25 lb Black Diamond at 20c per pound
25 lb Kolb Gem at 20c per pound
100 lb McIver's Sugar at 20c per pound
All first-class stock and high germination

Terms Cash.

Monticello, Fla., Jan. 6, 1904.

Faithfully yours,

D. H. GILBERT.

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